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Title: COMMUNICATION TERMINAL AND CHANNEL CONNECTION

METHOD

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We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. A check for \$808.00 representing the filing fee and \$40.00 for recording the Assignment.
2. Application - 37 pages, including 4 independent claims and 16 claims total.
3. Drawings - 8 sheets of formal drawings containing 9 figures.
4. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
5. Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment to Kabushiki Kaisha Toshiba.
6. Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 11-280042, filed on September 30, 1999.

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